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Sir:

Applicants' attorney requests that the date for responding to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2003, be extended one month, from January 10, 2004, to and including February 10, 2004.

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